

LOWELL SCHOOL COMMITTEE

REGULAR MEETING MINUTES

Date:	October 5, 2022
Time:	5:45PM
Location:	City Council Chamber, 375 Merrimack Street, 2nd Floor, Lowell, MA 01852

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1. SALUTE TO FLAG

2. ROLL CALL

On a roll call at 5:55 p.m., members present were, namely: Ms. Chhoun, Ms. Delrossi, Ms. Doherty, Mr. Lay, Ms. Martin and Ms. Thompson. Mayor Chau was absent.

3. SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS

3.1. An Executive Session May be Called to Discuss Collective Bargaining, Strategies and/or Possible Litigation Under Open Meeting Law, Chapter 30A, Section 21 (A) (B), 2, 3 of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts General Laws. Open Meeting Discussion May Have a Detrimental Effect on the Bargaining or Litigating Position of the Public Body.

4. EXECUTIVE SESSION

4.1. Items:

- Update on Bargaining Issues and litigation with UTL
- Update on Bargaining Issues and litigation with LSAA
- Update on Bargaining Issues, Memoranda of Agreement, and litigation with SEIU
- Update on job descriptions and rate of pay for unaffiliated positions and hourly positions



Ms. Delrossi made a motion to recess at 5:55 p.m. and to enter into Executive Session for the purpose of discussing collective bargaining, strategies and/or possible litigation under open meeting law, Chapter 30A, Section 21 (A) (B), 2, 3 of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts General Laws related to an update on bargaining Issues and litigation with UTL, an update on bargaining Issues and litigation with LSAA, an update on bargaining Issues, Memoranda of Agreement, and litigation with SEIU, and an update on job descriptions and rate of pay for unaffiliated positions and hourly positions, of which open meeting discussion may have a detrimental effect on the bargaining or litigating position of the public body, and to adjourn from Executive Session; seconded by Ms. Chhoun. 6 yeas, 1 absent (Mayor Chau) APPROVED

5. ADJOURNMENT

Ms. Delrossi made a motion to recess at 5:55: p.m.; seconded by Ms. Chhoun. 6 yeas, 1 absent (Mayor Chau) APPROVED

Respectfully submitted,

Joel D. Boyd, Ed.D., Superintendent and Secretary to the Lowell School Committee

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